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General Assembly

File No. 675

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Substitute Senate Bill No. 269

Senate, April 19, 2016

The Committee on Appropriations reported through SEN. BYE of the 5th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

AN ACT REQUIRING THE SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF IMPLEMENTING A FORTY-HOUR WORK WEEK FOR STATE EMPLOYEES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Secretary of the Office of Policy
- 2 and Management shall, within available appropriations, conduct a
- 3 study of the impact of requiring all state employees to work a forty-
- 4 hour work week. On or before October 1, 2016, the secretary shall
- 5 report, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general
- 6 statutes, the findings of such study to the joint standing committees of
- 7 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
- 8 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies and labor and public
- 9 employees. Such report shall include a summary of the potential
- 10 positive and negative impacts, including any financial impacts,
- 11 implementing such forty-hour work week may have on the state.

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This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Section 1	from passage	New section

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill requires the Office of Policy and Management to conduct a study concerning the impact of requiring all state employees to work a 40-hour week. This has no fiscal impact as it is anticipated that OPM has the expertise to complete this study.

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State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

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OFA Bill Analysis sSB 269

AN ACT REQUIRING THE SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF IMPLEMENTING A FORTY-HOUR WORK WEEK FOR STATE EMPLOYEES.

SUMMARY:

The bill requires the Office of Policy and Management (OPM) to conduct a study of the impact of requiring all state employees to work a forty-hour work week. On or before October 1, 2016, OPM must report the findings of such study to the Appropriations and Labor and Public Employees committees.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute Yea 50 Nay 4 (04/07/2016)